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ANNUAL REPORTS  
OF THE  
SELECTMEN, TREASURER,  
HIGHWAY AGENTS,  
AND  
Board of Education,  
OF THE TOWN OF  
EAST KINGSTON,  
FOR THE YEAR ENDING  
FEBRUARY 15, 1899,  
WITH THE  
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# Town Officers.

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*Moderator,*

GEORGE W. SANBORN.

*Town Clerk,*

FRANK J. PHILBRICK.

*Selectmen,*

ALONZO W. BROWN,                      GEORGE S. GILES,  
FRANKLIN CASS.

*Board of Education,*

JOSEPH R. WEBSTER,              LAURA O. PHILBRICK,  
JOSEPH F. KIMBALL.

*Highway Agents,*

WILLIAM D. INGALLS,              FRANK D. LAWRENCE.

*Town Treasurer,*

GEORGE W. SANBORN.

*Collector of Taxes,*

CHARLES H. SMITH.

*Auditors,*

GEORGE F. MORRILL,              DANA WEBSTER.

*Supervisors,*

GEORGE F. MORRILL,              FRANK R. MORRILL,  
FRANK H. HARGRAVES.

*Town Librarian,*

ANNIE F. CROWELL.

*Truant Officer,*

JOSEPH R. WEBSTER.

*Constables,*

CHARLES E. MARSH,              ALBERT L. COBURN.

# Selectmen's Report.

Town of East Kingston, N. H., in account with the Selectmen  
for the year ending Feb. 15, 1899.

## VALUATION OF THE TOWN.

Resident land and buildings,	\$148,832 00
Non-resident land and buildings,	29,128 00
No. Polls, 135,	13,500 00
Horses, 194,	11,192 00
Oxen, 24,	1,178 00
Cows, 218,	5,334 00
Neat stock, 29,	544 00
Sheep, 14,	50 00
Carriages, 5,	370 00
Mills,	5,500 00
Stock in trade,	22,250 00
Bank stock,	400 00
Money on hand,	250 00
Buildings not designated,	2,500 00
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	\$241,028 00

## APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE YEAR 1898.

State tax,	\$382 50
County tax,	505 38
School money by law,	450 00
Town charges,	300 00
Addition to Town Hall,	300 00
Literary fund,	30 00
North school house,	150 00
Public library,	27 00
Highway tax,	602 56
Overlay,	24 34
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Total amount of taxes,	\$2,771 78
Total resident tax,	2,253 53
Non-resident tax,	518 25
Rate per cent. \$1.15 on \$100.	



## MONEY RECEIVED.

From State Treasurer, insurance tax,	\$7 50
railroad tax,	204 95
savings bank tax,	43 82
literary fund,	42 00
Town Hall,	4 00
County of Rockingham,	29 93
<i>At 06</i>	<u>100 17</u>
	\$332 20
	<i>432.37</i>

## SCHOOL BOARD.

Raised by tax,	\$450 00
North school house,	150 00
Literary fund,	30 00
from State,	42 00
Savings bank tax,	43 82
Railroad tax,	32 00
Interest on Morrill fund,	120 00
Mrs. Towle fund,	50 00
bank book,	6 74
Dog fund,	92 00
Extra supplies,	13 69
	<u>                    </u>
	\$1,030 25

## HIGHWAYS.

Appropriations,	\$602 56
Order on Treasurer,	233 27
	<u>                    </u>
	\$835 83
Paid W. D. Ingalls, as per bill,	\$483 94
F. D. Lawrence,       “	351 89
	<u>                    </u>
	\$835 83

## AID FURNISHED TO DEPENDENT SOLDIERS.

Paid Nathan Morse, from Feb. 12, 1898, to April 9, 1898, \$1.50 per week,	\$12 00
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## SUPPORT OF POOR.

Selectmen, paid for tramps,	\$6 11	
H. J. French & Co., for groceries for Israel Goodwin and family, from March 14, '98, to March 28, '98, two weeks,	4 75	
H. L. Sweeny, services in Simes family, from January 9 to January 14, '99,	4 00	
H. L. Sweeny, for Mrs. Charles Harriman, February 10 to February 15, '99,	2 50	
A. W. Brown, time and expenses, taking Nathan Morse to Soldiers' Home,	9 18	
	<hr/>	\$26 54

## ABATEMENT OF TAXES.

Abated on C. H. Smith's book for 1895,	\$2 64
"          "          1896,	1 97
"          "          1897,	7 67

Abated on C. H. Smith's book for 1898 :

John Curry,	\$1 15	
John Hoben, deceased,	1 15	
Franklin B. Noyes, overtax,	2 30	
Mike Sullivan, 2d,	1 15	
Heirs Nathaniel E. Tuck, horse died,	48	
August Schmechel, horse died,	37	
Reuben Dow, overtax,	1 15	
John M. T. Currier, deceased,	1 15	
Albert C. Robinson,       "	1 15	
Ezra Fisher, taxed in Haverhill, Mass.,	4 89	
Peter Eno, taxed in Exeter,	1 04	
	<hr/>	\$15 98
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		\$28 26

Discount of C. H. Smith's book for 1898 :	
Discount on taxes,	\$30 69



## MISCELLANEOUS.

Paid State tax,	\$382 50
County tax,	505 38
Gazette Printing Co., printing reports,	31 50
Warren Locke, repairs on Town Hall,	19 00
George W. Holmes, painting cemetery fences,	8 50
James H. Batchelder, as per bill,	3 10
Arthur W. Evans, land for extension of hall,	1 00
George W. Holmes, sheathing tomb and painting same,	7 80
Joseph H. Robbins, blacksmith work,	1 80
L. G. Hoyt, legal advice,	2 00
Edson C. Eastman, check-lists,	64
E. W. Philbrick, services at eight funerals,	26 00
E. W. Philbrick, putting up voting booths and taking down same,	1 50
E. W. Philbrick, repairing hearse and other repairs,	90
Charles F. Gove, damage on highway,	40 00
C. K. Webster, wood for Town Hall,	2 00
S. O. Harris, repairs on Town Hall,	1 00
A. W. Brown, getting deed recorded,	1 40
Fred Huntington, mowing grass in old cemetery,	5 00
J. L. Bartlett, painting guide boards,	1 00
Charles H. Smith, getting tax bills printed,	2 00
Chase & Wright, for dog license,	65
A. W. Brown, cleaning Town Hall,	3 00
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	\$1,047 67

## SERVICES OF TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid George W. Sanborn, services as Treasurer and School Treasurer,	\$11 00
F. J. Philbrick, Town Clerk,	23 29
Joseph G. Nelson, Board of Health,	1 50
Annie F. Crowell, Librarian,	15 00



C. E. Marsh, services as Constable,	\$6 50
Charles H. Smith, Collector,	25 00
George F. Morrill and Dana Webster, Auditors, 1898,	6 00
George F. Morrill, John Buswell and Ulysses S. Tilton, Supervisors,	9 00
Joseph R. Webster, Truant Officer,	3 00
School Board, services,	40 00

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\$140 29

Paid Alonzo W. Brown, services as Selectman,	\$42 00
George S. Giles, " " "	27 00
Franklin Cass, " " "	27 00

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\$96 00

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\$236 29

#### RECAPITULATION.

School Board,	\$1,030 25
Highways,	835 83
Invalid soldiers,	12 00
Support of poor,	26 54
Abatement of taxes,	28 26
Miscellaneous,	1,047 67
Town officers,	236 29

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\$3,216 84

#### FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Liabilities of the Town, Feb. 15, 1899 :

Literary fund money,	\$601 52
Jeremiah Morrill, school money,	2,000 00
Mrs. Towle's water bond,	1,000 00
Mrs. Towle's bank-book,	500 00
Note,	100 17

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\$4,201 69

## ASSETS.

Due from C. H. Smith, Collector for 1895,	\$4 62
“ “ “ “ “ 1896,	47 77
“ “ “ “ “ 1897,	16 95
“ “ “ “ “ 1898,	197. 72
Jeremiah Morrill, school fund,	2,000 00
Mrs. Towle's bond,	1,000 00
Mrs. Towle's bank-book,	500 00
Town debt,	434 63
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	\$4,201 69

ALONZO W. BROWN, }  
 GEORGE S. GILES, } Selectmen.  
 FRANKLIN CASS, }

EAST KINGSTON, N. H., Feb. 15, 1899.

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We, the subscribers, have this day examined the accounts of the Selectmen for the year 1898-99, and find them correctly cast, all of which is respectfully submitted.

GEORGE F. MORRILL, }  
 DANA WEBSTER, } Auditors.

EAST KINGSTON, N. H., Feb. 15, 1899.



# Treasurer's Report.

EAST KINGSTON, N. H., Feb. 15, 1899.

George W. Sanborn, treasurer, charges himself with the following receipts, viz. :

J. Morrill, school bonds,	\$2,000 00
Elizabeth S. Towle, water bond,	1,000 00
"    "    bank book,	450 00
Cash on hand, including dog fund,	200 19
Interest on bond,	120 00
"    bank book,	56 74
"    water bond,	50 00
C. H. Smith, collector for 1895,	87
"    "    1896,	8 64
"    "    1897,	191 22
"    "    1898,	2,527 39
"    for overdue taxes,	4 16
Selectmen,	432 37
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	\$7,041 58

Credit by the following payments, viz. :

By orders of Selectmen,	\$3,541 58
J. Morrill, school bonds,	2,000 00
Elizabeth S. Towle, water bond,	1,000 00
"    "    bank book,	500 00
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	\$7,041 58

## DOG FUND.

Balance in treasury,	\$92 00
Town Clerk, for licenses,	95 40
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	\$187 40
Transferred by order of Selectmen to school fund,	\$92 00
Balance in treasury,	95 40
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	\$187 40

GEO. W. SANBORN, Treasurer.

We, the subscribers, have this day examined the accounts of the Treasurer for the year 1898-99 and find them well vouched and correctly cast, all of which is respectfully submitted.

GEORGE F. MORRILL, }  
DANA WEBSTER,        } Auditors.

EAST KINGSTON, N. H., Feb. 15, 1899.

# Reports of Highway Agents.

## REPORT OF W. D. INGALLS, HIGHWAY AGENT.

### PAID IN APRIL.

M. W. Sands, 850 loads broken brick and gravel,	\$70 00
W. D. Ingalls, 80 hours work,	16 00
Fred Huntington, 2     "	30

### PAID IN MAY.

N. M. Batchelder, 48 hours work with horses,	\$16 80
Thomas Currier, 48     "     "	16 80
M. T. Robinson, horses, 10 hours,	2 00
F. B. Tilton, 10 hours work with horses,	3 50
W. D. Ingalls, 65     "	13 00
"     paid for dynamite caps and fuse,	1 50
Fred Huntington, 43 1-2 hours work,	6 52
John Marsh, 9     "	1 35
Nathan Marsh, 40     "	6 00
Henry Marsh, 10     "	1 50
George Carter, 10     "	1 50
Leslie Flanders, 30     "	4 50
Luther Bridges, 10     "	1 50

### PAID IN JUNE.

N. M. Batchelder, 30 hours work with horses,	\$10 50
Thomas Currier, 30     "     "	10 50
W. D. Ingalls, 50     "     "	10 00
"     paid J. Robbins for repairs on road machine,	2 50
"     paid J. Robbins for sharpening drills,	60
Nathan Marsh, 29 hours work,	4 35
M. T. Robinson, 4     "     with horses,	1 40
Fred Huntington, 10     "	1 50



Leslie Flanders,	33 hours work,	\$4 95
Luther Bridges,	10 "	1 50
Royal Atwood,	42 "	6 30
R. W. Carter, 2nd,	18 "	2 70
Harvey Marsh,	18 "	2 70

SEPTEMBER.

Nathan Marsh,	15 hours work,	\$2 25
A. W. Brown,	20 "	3 00
W. D. Ingalls,	20 "	4 00

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\$231 52

W. D. INGALLS.

WINTER.—BREAKING ROADS.

1898.

March, M. W. Sands,	3 men, 13 1-3 hours,	\$6 00
"	horses, 14 hours,	2 80
W. D. Ingalls,	15 hours,	3 00
E. S. Rowell,	2 "	30
Miles Sweeney,	10 "	1 50
Nathan Marsh,	9 "	1 35
John Marsh,	9 "	1 35
John Cilley,	5 "	75
J. Johnson,	5 "	75
Royal Atwood,	5 "	75
J. A. Tilton,	8 1-2 hours,	1 27
"	4 oxen, 10 hours,	3 00
"	man, 30 hours,	4 50
F. B. Tilton,	38 1-2 hours work,	5 78
"	man, 38 1-2 hours work,	5 77
H. J. French,	man and horses, 15 hours work,	5 25
H. J. French,	horses, 10 hours work,	2 00
C. K. Webster,	40 hours work,	6 00
"	40 " " man,	6 00
"	40 " " oxen,	6 00
R. Rude,	8 " " with horses,	2 80
"	2 " "	30

March, R. J. Lombard,	4 horses, 21 hours,	\$8 40
“	29 3-4 hours, 4 men,	17 85
William Titcomb,	36 hours work,	5 40
A. W. Evans,	15 “ “	2 25
“	15 “ “ horses,	3 00
“	11 “ “ man,	1 65
N. M. Batchelder,	25 “ “ horses,	8 75
N. M. Batchelder,	26 hours work,	3 90
Geo. W. Sanborn,	25 “ “ horses,	5 00
“	7 “ “ oxen,	1 05
“	16 “ “ man,	2 40
George S. Giles,	10 1-2 hours work,	1 57
“	2 “ “ horses,	40
J. R. Webster,	52 1-2 “ “	7 88
C. H. Smith,	18 “ “	2 70
W. D. Ingalls,	60 hours work,	12 00
James Thomas,	44 “	6 60
J. B. Greeley,	24 “	3 60
“ “	1 “ horses,	20
F. T. French,	31 “ oxen,	4 65
S. Gale,	17 “	2 55
William Simes,	28 “	4 20
Joseph Rude,	30 “	4 50
S. Whipple,	7 1-2 “	1 12
R. W. Carter,	21 “	3 15
Royal Atwood,	6 “	90
George Hirsch,	7 “	1 05
George Marsh,	32 “	4 80
Walter Holmes,	38 “	5 70
I. A. Eaton,	12 “	1 80
F. W. Thompson,	20 1-2 “	3 07
John Cilley,	16 “	2 40
John Monahan,	3 “	45
George Black,	5 “	75
Nathan Marsh,	26 “	3 90
Harvey Marsh,	44 “	6 60
James Jackman,	11 “	1 65



March, Fred Jackman,	27	hours work,	\$4 05
J. F. Buswell,	17	" with horses,	5 95
Geo. W. Carter,	14	"	2 10
A. Denoncour,	5	"	75
G. Denoncour,	5	"	75
H. Schmechel,	8	1-4 "	1 24
O. Giles,	19	"	2 85
J. G. Fuller,	3	"	45
D. C. Morgan,	2	"	30
Fred Huntington,	10	1-2 "	1 57
C. H. Chase,	15	"	2 25
Ed. Carter,	9	1-2 "	1 42
A. Schmechel,	27	"	4 05
E. W. Philbrick,	3	"	45
A. W. Brown,	24	"	3 60
W. L. Tilton,	15	"	2 25
J. W. Purington,	3	1-2 "	53
W. Giles,	16	"	2 80

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\$483 94

Feb. 15, Received of Town Treasurer,

\$483 94

W. D. INGALLS.

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#### REPORT OF F. D. LAWRENCE, HIGHWAY AGENT.

March, D. H. Kimball,	8	hours,	\$1 20
J. F. Kimball,	8	"	1 20
D. T. Reynolds,	8	"	1 20
J. F. Lawrence and oxen,	8	"	2 40
E. R. Reynolds,	8	"	1 20
E. G. Currier,	8	"	1 20
J. S. W. Currier,	8	"	1 20
J. D. Currier,	8	"	1 20
Frank Capin,	8	"	1 20
F. D. Lawrence and horses,	8	"	3 20

April,	D. H. Kimball,	44	hours,	\$6 60
	D. H. Kimball's horses,	8	"	1 60
	J. F. Kimball,	51	"	7 65
	D. T. Reynolds,	20	"	3 00
	J. F. Lawrence and oxen,	84	"	25 20
	E. R. Reynolds,	84	"	12 60
	E. G. Currier,	72	"	10 80
	J. S. W. Currier,	84	"	12 60
	J. D. Currier,	44	"	6 60
	Frank Capin,	84	"	12 60
	F. D. Lawrence and horses,	87	"	34 80
	Orin Burke,	48	"	7 20
	G. W. Dunbar,	8	"	1 20
May,	D. H. Kimball and horses,	8	"	2 80
	J. F. Kimball,	8	"	1 20
	E. G. Currier,	11	1-4 "	1 69
	Frank Capin,	13	"	1 95
	J. F. Lawrence,	21	1-4 "	3 19
	Orin Burke,	16	"	2 40
	J. A. Blaisdell,	8	"	1 20
	Albert York,	8	"	1 20
	M. T. Robinson's horses,	8	"	1 60
	F. D. Lawrence and horses,	20	1-4 "	8 10
June,	J. F. Lawrence,	14	"	2 10
	F. D. Lawrence and horses,	13	1-2 "	5 40
	Orin Burke,	14	"	2 10
	J. A. Blaisdell,	1	"	15
	Thomas Currier and horses,	10	"	3 50
	W. D. Ingalls,	5	"	1 00
Aug.,	J. F. Lawrence,	2	1-2 "	38
	Orin Burke,	10	"	1 50
	F. D. Lawrence and horses,	14	1-2 "	5 80
Sept.,	G. W. Dunbar,	17	"	2 55
	Orin Burke,	4	"	60
	J. F. Lawrence,	4	"	60
	F. D. Lawrence and horses,	11	"	4 40



Oct.,	D. H. Kimball and horses,	12	hours,	\$4 20
	J. F. Kimball,	12	"	1 80
	J. F. Lawrence,	12	"	1 80
	J. D. Currier,	12	"	1 80
	G. W. Dunbar,	12	"	1 80
	Albert York,	12	"	1 80
	John Marsh,	12	"	1 80
	Royal Atwood,	12	"	1 80
	F. D. Lawrence and horses,	12	"	4 80
	Charles Foster,	4	"	60
Nov.,	D. H. Kimball and horses,	8	"	2 80
	J. D. Currier,	8	"	1 20
	J. F. Lawrence,	17	1-2 "	2 63
	Orin Burke,	26	"	3 90
	— Cherry,	11	"	1 65
	G. W. Dunbar,	15	"	2 25
	Albert York,	15	"	2 25
	John Marsh,	8	"	1 20
	F. D. Lawrence and horses,	40	1-4 "	16 10
	Charles Foster,	12	1-2 "	1 88
	Charles Foster's horse,	2	1-2 "	25
	Drain pipe and railroad ties,			5 74
	Repairs on plough,			1 00
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				\$278 11
Feb. 15, 1899,	received of Town Treasurer,			\$278 11

F. D. LAWRENCE.

## BREAKING ROADS 1898-1899.

J. M. Richardson,	12	1-2 hours at .15,	\$1 88
T. P. Currier, and men,	125	hours at .15,	18 75
J. D. Currier,	22	1-2 " .15,	3 38
N. Woodman,	22	" .15,	3 30
E. A. Rollins,	5	" .15,	75

J. F. Lawrence,	33 hours at .15,	\$4 95
G. W. Dunbar,	14 1-2 " .15,	2 18
J. S. W. Currier,	19 " .15,	2 85
Albert York,	18 " .15,	2 70
D. H. Kimball,	16 " .15,	2 40
J. F. Kimball,	16 " .15,	2 40
Orin Burke,	24 " .15,	3 60
—— Cherry,	19 " .15,	2 85
E. A. Currier,	25 1-2 " .15,	3 83
Leonard Haskell,	17 " .15,	2 55
J. A. Blaisdell,	12 1-2 " .15,	1 88
Charles Foster,	9 1-2 " .15,	1 43
F. D. Lawrence,	32 " .15,	4 80
F. D. Lawrence's horses,	18 " .20,	3 60
T. P. Currier's horses,	8 " .20,	1 60
J. F. Currier's horses,	10 1-2 " .20,	2 10

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\$73 78

Feb. 15, 1899, received of Town Treasurer, \$73 78

F. D. LAWRENCE.

## Report of Building Committee.

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Amount appropriated by the Town,	\$300 00
Contract with Warren Locke,	\$490 00
George W. Holmes,	17 00
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	\$507 00
Paid George W. Holmes,	\$17 00
Warren Locke,	283 00
Gave due-bill for balance,	207 00
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	\$507 00

J. F. CURRIER, } Building  
J. H. CURRIER, } Committee.

EAST KINGSTON, N. H., February 15, 1899.

## Report of Cemetery Committee.

### RECEIPTS.

Received of John B. Morrill, Custodian of John E. Gale property from May 1, 1897, to May 1, 1898, one year's rent less insurance, improvements and repairs,	\$50 82
9 months' rent in full payment to Feb. 1, 1899,	45 00
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	\$95 82

### EXPENSES.

July 7, Paid for improvements in cemetery,	\$35 82
Nov. 17, for improvements in cemetery and repairs on tenement,	28 85
Cash on hand,	31 15
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	\$95 82

W. S. TITCOMB, } Cemetery  
J. F. CURRIER, } Committee.  
JOHN B. MORRILL, }

EAST KINGSTON, N. H., Feb. 1, 1899.



## Report of the Public Library.

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The library now comprises 619 books, with an increase of circulation of 347 from that of last year. There were 143 books added during the year — purchased by the town, 67; presented by E. A. Tilton, 5; Mr. Fred Huntington, 1; Mr. C. E. Morrill, 1.

Loaned from the Universalist Library,	69
Number of times the library was opened,	52
Number of cards given during the year,	33
Total number of cards issued,	217
Total circulation,	2,045

Classed as follows: Fiction, 1,174; juvenile fiction, 784; history, 29; travels, 20; biography, 10; poetry, farm and household, art and science, miscellaneous, 6 each; religious and natural history, 2 each.

LAURA O. PHILBRICK, Secretary.

JOSEPH F. CURRIER,	}	Trustees of Public Library.
LAURA O. PHILBRICK,		
FLORENCE A. CURRIER,		

ANNIE F. CROWELL, Librarian.

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### TREASURER'S REPORT OF PUBLIC LIBRARY.

#### RECEIPTS.

On hand Feb. 15, 1898,	\$0 51
Town Treasurer,	27 00
Catalogues,	2 50
Fines,	2 00

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\$32 01

## EXPENSES.

Insurance,	\$1 50
The Rochester Courier,	2 75
R. H. White Co.,	19 10
Jordan, Marsh & Co.,	4 75
Freight,	25
Cash on hand,	3 66
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	\$32 01

FLORENCE A. CURRIER, Treasurer.

EAST KINGSTON, N. H., Feb. 15, 1899.

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AUDITORS' REPORT.

We, the subscribers, have this day examined the accounts of the Treasurer of the Public Library for the year 1898-99 and find them well vouched and correctly cast, all of which is respectfully submitted.

GEORGE F. MORRILL, }  
 DANA WEBSTER, } Auditors.

EAST KINGSTON, N. H., Feb. 15, 1899.

## Report of the Board of Education.

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The enumeration of the Truant Officer in April gives the number of children in town, between the ages of five and fifteen, as 66: Girls, 35; boys, 31. The whole number of pupils registered is 59: Girls, 25; boys, 34; of which 3 are less than five and 3 are more than fifteen years of age.

Four of our teachers, Miss Chase, Miss Prescott, Miss York and Miss Ring have been with us several terms before this year. They have taken the same interest in teaching their pupils that they have manifested in past years, with good success. Miss Ring accepted a larger school, and the vacancy at the Falls was filled by Miss Bessie B. Sanborn. This was her first effort at teaching. As we visited her school from time to time we could see that the children were under good discipline and were progressing well with their studies. Miss Sanborn seems well adapted to school work; we think, with experience, she will attain a high rank as teacher. The children cannot have the ambition to work, which they would have if the schools were much larger. There has been a decrease of thirty-four in the past three years, making now only fifty-nine pupils in the four schools—and some of the small ones do not attend during the winter. We think it would be a benefit to the children to unite the smallest schools the winter term. At the written examinations, at the close of the schools, several of the scholars were credited 100 per cent. in Arithmetic and Spelling. There have been two hundred and twenty-nine visitors in the several schools during the past year. We hope they have been well pleased, and will continue to encourage the teachers and children by spending a short time with them in the school rooms. We would be pleased if more would follow their example. In examining the school registers we found them neatly and thoroughly filled out, which is a credit to the teachers as well as a help to the committee.

You will find in the following roll of attendance that only one family sent children to school every day during the three terms. The example is one of the best.



STATISTICAL TABLE OF SCHOOLS.

SCHOOLS.	TEACHERS.	Terms.	Wages per month.	Length of School in weeks	Number of pupils.	Average daily attendance.	Number tardy.	Arithmetic.	Geography.	Reading and Spelling.	Pennmanship.	History.	Composition.	Algebra.	Physiology.	Book-keeping.	Number visits by Committee.	Number visits by others.
Pound...	{	1	\$28	11	15	13	2	15	14	15	15	14	14	2	6	..	2	24
		2	\$29	10	18	13	1	18	18	18	18	6	18	3	9	1	2	15
		3	\$29	10	17	13	12	17	17	17	17	4	17	3	6	3	2	14
Falls...	{	1	\$26	10.6	17	12	22	17	9	14	15	5	10	..	2	..	3	54
		2	\$26	10	16	16	76	13	9	16	16	4	10	..	1	..	2	17
		3	\$26	10	16	9	70	10	8	16	10	4	10	..	1	..	2	24
Corner...	{	1	\$26	11	12	11	4	7	5	10	10	3	5	2	3	1	2	33
		2	\$26	10	11	8	2	6	3	10	10	3	3	..	3	..	2	3
		3	\$26	10	9	7	9	6	3	8	8	3	3	..	3	..	2	5
North...	{	1	\$26	11	9	7	..	9	7	9	9	4	7	1	2	..	2	28
		2	\$26	10	9	5	7	9	7	9	9	3	7	1	1	..	1	5
		3	\$26	10	10	8	3	10	8	10	10	3	8	1	1	..	2	7

## ROLL OF ATTENDANCE.

*For the year.*—Clara E. Currier, Mary N. Currier and Willie C. Currier.

*Two terms.*—Marion L. Rowell, Bertha M. Holmes, Perley K. Lord and Frank E. Holmes.

*One term.*—Elizabeth C. Foster, Maud Coburn, Delia Monahan, Ethel E. Harris, Josie M. Sanborn, Mary Schmechel, Louise Schmechel, George B. Morrill, Charles A. Richardson, Charles A. Currier, Daniel I. York and Charles H. Devine.

Respectfully,

LAURA O. PHILBRICK,

For the Board of Education.

EAST KINGSTON, Feb. 15, 1899.

## REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BOARD.

The following is the amount of school money :

Raised by tax,	\$450 00
Interest on J. Morrill fund,	120 00
“ Mrs. Towle fund,	50 00
“ “ bank book,	6 74
Literary fund, from state,	42 00
Interest on literary fund,	30 00
Savings bank tax,	43 82
Railroad tax,	32 00
Dog fund,	92 00
Money in treasury,	5 99
Received for grass,	1 00

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\$873 55

## EXPENDITURES FOR SCHOOLS.

Paid Sadie S. Chase, teaching school,	\$222 00
Mary J. Prescott,	201 50
May F. York,	201 50
Dorothy A. Ring,	68 90
Bessie B. Sanborn,	130 00
B. F. Noyes, wood and fitting same,	4 00
J. L. Philbrick, wood,	9 00
N. Marsh, fitting wood,	3 00
I. Eaton, wood and fitting same,	3 75
J. R. Webster, wood and fitting same,	19 86
J. F. Kimball, wood and fitting same,	1 88
G. Marsh, fitting wood,	1 13
P. K. Lord, building fires,	1 40
C. A. Richardson, building fires,	1 00
C. K. Webster, wood,	1 50
Remaining in treasury,	3 13
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	\$873 55

## SCHOOL SUPPLIES.

Received from Selectmen,	\$13 69
Paid Ginn & Co.,	\$7 20
E. W. Babb & Co.,	2 50
American Book Co.,	96
Express,	95
J. R. Webster, as per bill,	58
J. Templeton,	1 50
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	\$13 69

## REPAIRS.

Money in treasury,	\$19 96
Paid B. C. Noyes, oiling school house floors,	\$5 00
Allen & Co., lock,	75



Paid J. F. Kimball, grading,	\$1 35
J. R. Webster, as per bill,	80
Cleaning school houses,	9 55
Remaining in treasury,	2 51
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	\$19 96
Received of Selectmen,	\$150 00
Paid J. F. Currier, part payment on note,	\$150 00
Due on J. F. Currier's note, Feb. 15, 1899,	\$197 63

LAURA O. PHILBRICK, } School Board  
 JOSEPH R. WEBSTER, } of  
 JOSEPH F. KIMBALL, } East Kingston.

EAST KINGSTON, N. H., Feb. 15, 1899.

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We, the subscribers, have this day examined the accounts of the School Board for the year 1898-99 and find them well vouched and correctly cast, all of which is respectfully submitted.

GEORGE F. MORRILL, } Auditors.  
 DANA WEBSTER, }

EAST KINGSTON, N. H., Feb. 15, 1899.

## SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT.

EAST KINGSTON, Feb. 15, 1899.

GEORGE W. SANBORN, TREASURER OF SCHOOL BOARD, CHARGES HIMSELF  
WITH THE FOLLOWING ACCOUNT, VIZ. :

Cash on hand,	\$44 42
Town Treasurer,	1,056 25
School Board,	1 00
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	\$1,101 67

CREDIT BY FOLLOWING PAYMENTS, VIZ. :

Orders from School Board,	\$1,070 00
Cash on hand,	31 67
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	\$1,101 67

GEO. W. SANBORN, Treasurer School Board.

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AUDITORS' REPORT.

We, the subscribers, have this day examined the accounts of the Treasurer of the School Board for the year 1898-99 and find them well vouched and correctly cast, all of which is respectfully submitted.

GEORGE F. MORRILL, }  
DANA WEBSTER, } Auditors.

EAST KINGSTON, N. H., Feb. 15, 1899.

**BIRTHS Registered in the Town of East Kingston, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1898.**

Date 1898.	Name of Child (if any).	Male or Female.	No. of Child.	Living or Still- born.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.
Jan. 15	Gertrude Evans,	F	1		Arthur W. Evans,	Amy E. Palmer,	Kensington,	Kensington.
Feb. 5	Stacy Elmer Giles,	M	4	L	Henry P. Giles,	Effie G. Ring,	East Kingston,	East Kingston.
Mar. 9	Louis Blake Tilton,	"	3	"	Frank B. Tilton,	Kate M. Chase,	East Kingston,	Kensington.
31	Wallace H. Batchelder,	"	1	"	Nathaniel M. Batchelder	Minnie Brown,	Hampton Falls,	South Hampton.
May 26	Ella May Currier,	F	2	"	John H. Currier,	Lily Rose Currier,	E. Haverhill, Ms	England.
July 11	Edith Sarah Buswell,	"	3	"	John Fred Buswell,	Annie M. Somers,	East Kingston,	South Hampton.
20	— Paradis,	M	2	"	Alphonse Paradis,	Emilis La Vois,	Canada,	Canada.
Sept. 13	Blanche E. Kimball,	F	3	"	Lewis Kimball,	Evelyn L. Brown,	Newton,	Kensington.
Dec. 17	— Hargraves,	"	2	S	Frank H. Hargraves,	Margaret McLane,	Haverhill, Ms.,	New Brunswick.



**MARRIAGES Registered in the Town of East Kingston, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1898.**

Date 1898.	Place of marriage.	Name and surname of groom and bride.	Age in years.	Color of each.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Condition.	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
May 31	Kingston,	Charles Case, Augustine LaRochell,	23 18	W "	Burlington, Vt., Burlington, Vt.,	Useb Case, Rebecca Gutchell, Peter LaRochell, Sarah Finneff,	1st, "	Rev. W. F. Warren, Kingston.
June 16	Exeter,	George A. Lincoln, Jennie M. Crockett,	38 41	W "	Bath, Me., Malone, N. Y.,	Augustus C. Lincoln, Harriet M. White,	1st, 2d,	Rev. William Woods, Exeter.
Aug. 25	Newburyport,	John S. Cilley, Annie E. Dunn,	26 22	W "	Salisbury, Ms., Massachusetts,	William Cilley, Sarah Wright, Florence Dunn, Margaret Ryan,	1st, "	Rev. W. H. Ryan, Newburyport, Mass.
Dec. 24	Merrimac, Ms.,	Charles L. Webster, Annie M. Gray,	33 29	W "	East Kingston, Merrimac, Ms.,	George Webster, Sophronia Magoon, William O. Gray, Alice R. Bagley,	1st, "	Rev. Henry A. Cornell, Merrimac, Mass.

